

FDC 4/9750 (KFDC A0018/14) ZZZ SECURITY ... SPECIAL NOTICE ... NORTH KOREAN MISSILE LAUNCHES IN THE PYONGYANG FLIGHT INFORMATION REGION (FIR) (ZKKP)

U.S. OPERATORS FLYING IN AND AROUND THE PYONGYANG FIR (ZKKP) EAST OF 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE ARE ADVISED THAT NORTH KOREA HAS A HISTORY OF LAUNCHING SHORT-RANGE AND MEDIUM-RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILES WITH NO WARNING.

IN MARCH 2014, NORTH KOREA LAUNCHED TWO MEDIUM-RANGE MISSILES. THESE LAUNCHES WERE INTO THE PYONGYANG FIR AND IMPACTED IN THE SEA OF JAPAN BEYOND THE BOUNDARY OF SPECIAL FEDERAL AVIATION REGULATION (SFAR) 79, WHICH PROHIBITS U.S. OPERATORS FROM FLYING IN THE PYONGYANG FIR WEST OF 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE.

U.S. OPERATORS ARE ADVISED THAT FUTURE LAUNCHES MAY OCCUR WITH LITTLE OR NO WARNING AND SHOULD USE CAUTION WHEN PLANNING FOR AND OPERATING IN AND AROUND THE PYONGYANG (ZKKP) FIR EAST OF 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE.

THE FAA HAS PROVIDED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT INFORMATION MANUAL AT:

[HTTP://WWW.FAA.GOV/AIR TRAFFIC/PUBLICATIONS/IFIM/US RESTRICTIONS/#RESTRICTKN](http://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/ifim/us_restrictions/#RESTRICTKN)

THE NEED FOR THIS SPECIAL NOTICE WILL BE RE-EVALUATED BY 1 NOVEMBER 2014.

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